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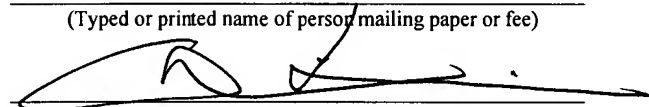
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In connection with the above-referenced application, the undersigned attorney submitted
a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) on July 1, 2005 with a petition for a one-month

extension of time in response to the Final Office Action dated March 1, 2005 and the Advisory Action dated June 6, 2005. In a telephone discussion on November 16, 2005, the Examiner indicated that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office does not appear to have a copy of this RCE. In response, a copy of the RCE filed on July 1, 2005 is re-submitted herewith.

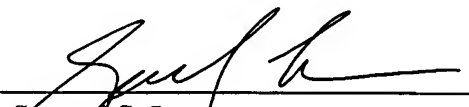
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Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this RCE be entered with a filing date of July 1, 2005. The Examiner is hereby authorized to charge any insufficient fees or credit any overpayment associated with the above-identified application to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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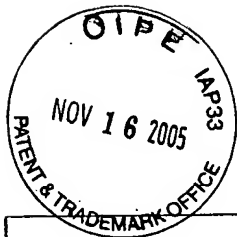
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Attorney Docket Number	450117-03595

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
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